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Applicant: GEORGES, Elias et al.
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For: P-40/ANNEXIN I AND RELATED PROTEINS AND THEIR ROLE IN
MULTIDRUG RESISTANCE

REQUEST FOR PARTIAL FEE REFUND

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Sir:

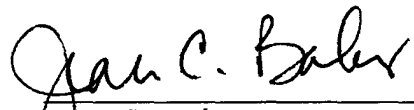
Request is hereby made for refund of one-half of the U.S. basic national fee previously paid in connection with the above-referenced U.S. Application. The U.S. basic national fee previously paid amounted to \$996.00 and, therefore, the sum of the refund requested is \$498.00.

In support of this request, a Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status (37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(d) - NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION) is being filed on even date herewith.

Finally, this request is made within two months of the date of the timely payment of the full fee as provided in 37 CFR 1.28(a).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit the refund amount of \$1,551.00 to Deposit Account No. 17-0055.

Respectfully submitted,



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| Form PTO-1390 (REV 10-94) | | U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE | ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 641050.90013 |
| TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 | | | U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 C.F.R. 1.5) 09/50,952,992 |
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| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/CA98/00992 | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 26 October 1998 | | |
| TITLE OF INVENTION P-40/ANNEXIN I AND RELATED PROTEINS AND THEIR ROLE IN MULTIDRUG RESISTANCE | | | |
| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US GEORGES, Elias; WANG, Ying | | | |
| <p>Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. <input type="checkbox"/> This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1). <input type="checkbox"/> A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date. <input type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). <input type="checkbox"/> has been transmitted by the International Bureau. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US) <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). <input type="checkbox"/> have been transmitted by the International Bureau. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). <input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). <p>Items 11. to 16. below concern document(s) or information included:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. <input type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification. <input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: Petition for Partial Fee Refund; Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status (37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(d) - Nonprofit Organization) Statement; Postcard Receipt | | | |

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